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## MEDIA RELEASE

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The Judicial Merit Selection Commission is accepting applications for the judicial office listed below:

A vacancy exists in the office formerly held by the late Honorable Billy A. Tunstall, Jr., Judge of the Family Court for the Eighth Judicial Circuit, Seat 3. The successor will fill the unexpired term which will expire June 30, 2013, and the subsequent full term which will expire June 30, 2019.

In order to receive application materials, a prospective candidate must notify the Commission in writing of his or her intent to apply. Correspondence and questions may be directed to the Judicial Merit Selection Commission as follows:

Jane O. Shuler, Chief Counsel Post Office Box 142 Columbia, South Carolina 29202 (803) 212-6629 (M-Th).

Or

Laurie Traywick, JMSC Administrative Assistant at (803)-212-6623

The Commission will not accept applications after 12:00 noon on Wednesday, August 29, 2012.

For further information about the Judicial Merit Selection Commission and the judicial screening process, you may access the website at <a href="http://www.scstatehouse.gov/JudicialMeritPage/JMSCMainPage.php">http://www.scstatehouse.gov/JudicialMeritPage/JMSCMainPage.php</a>